

## AN ACT

ENTITLED, An Act to provide for a study of gaming in the state, to study the effects of a repeal of video lottery, and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

Section 1. The Executive Board of the Legislative Research Council shall retain an outside neutral independent firm to collect empirical data and information regarding the economic and social effects gaming has had on the state and the citizens of the state. The firm shall make a report of its findings and conclusions to the Executive Board by a date to be determined by the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall appoint an interim legislative committee to review and evaluate the report of the independent firm, to study the possible effects of a repeal of video lottery, and to study the need to replace any revenues to the state if video lottery is repealed and, if necessary, to study possible options for replacement revenue. All costs of retaining an outside neutral independent firm shall be paid by the South Dakota Lottery from revenues generated from the state's share of video lottery revenues.

Section 2. Whereas, this Act is necessary for the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

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I certify that the attached Act  
originated in the

SENATE as Bill No. 147

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Secretary of the Senate  
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President of the Senate

Attest:

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Secretary of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

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Chief Clerk

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Received at this Executive Office  
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By \_\_\_\_\_  
for the Governor  
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The attached Act is hereby  
approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_, A.D., 19\_\_

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Governor  
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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,  
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Secretary of State

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Secretary of State